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Application Number  
**10/000,431**

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**3681**

Invention Title

**GEAR-JUMPING-PROOF POSITIVE-  
LOCKING CLUTCH**

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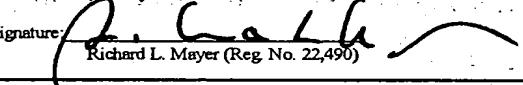
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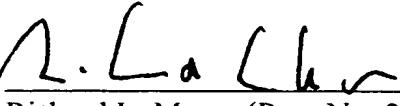
  
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To complete the filing requirements for the above-referenced application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.51, enclosed please find an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed December 20, 2001 is also enclosed.

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) surcharge fee of \$130.00 for late filing of the Declaration to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.
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## FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **GEAR-JUMPING-PROOF POSITIVE-LOCKING CLUTCH**, the specification of which is being filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office herewith.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

### PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

<b>100 59 417.4</b> (Number)	<b>Germany</b> (Country)	<b>30 November 2000</b> (Day/month/year filed)	<b>Yes X</b> Priority Under 35 USC 119	<b>No</b> Claimed
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And we hereby appoint Richard L. Mayer (Registration No. 22,490),  
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